appropriated, make monthly payments to Isaac David Cosson of Clermont, Florida, in amounts determined in accordance with section 2 of this Act. Such payments shall be in full satisfaction of any claim against the United States relating to the injuries suffered by Mr. Cosson as a result of the accidental bombing of the yard near his home by an aircraft of the United States Army on August 11, 1944.

Sec. 2. (a) Each monthly amount payable under this Act shall be equal to one-twelfth of \$18,000, adjusted in accordance with subsec-

tion (b).

(b)(1) On or before February 28 of each year, the Secretary of the Treasury shall adjust the \$18,000 amount referred to in section 2(a)(1), with respect to the twelve months beginning after such date, by the percent change, if any, which he determines to have occurred in the price index published for December of the previous year from the price index published for the month in which this Act is enacted.

(2) The monthly amount payable after adjustment under this section shall be rounded to the nearest dollar (rounding any amount which is \$0.50 or higher to the next highest dollar), except that no

adjustment shall be for less than \$1.

Sec. 3. Amounts payable by this Act for any month shall be paid on or before the last day of such month. Such payments shall commence with payment for the second month which begins after the date of the enactment of this Act, and shall cease with respect to months beginning after the month in which the date of Mr. Cosson's death occurs.

Sec. 4. For the purposes of this Act "price index" means the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, published by the

Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor.

Sec. 5. The provisions of this Act shall be effective notwithstanding any provision either in the Act of December 3, 1945 (59 Stat. 801), or in the Act of May 10, 1950 (64 Stat. A46).

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An Act

For the relief of Clarence S. Lyons.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Clarence S. Lyons, of Louisville, Kentucky, the sum of \$36,858.00. The payment of such sum shall be in full settlement of all claims of the said Clarence S. Lyons against the United States arising out of the injury of his right eye which he sustained while working in the prison industries at the United States Public Health Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky, in March 1943. No part of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

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"Price index."

Clarence S. Lyons.

Violation, penalty.

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